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STUDENT COUNCIL SUBMITS NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF BATES MEN IN SERVICE

Errors or Omissions Receive Attention

The Student, this week, is printing a list of the names and addresses of all those Bates men in the service, which it has been able to obtain. As will be noted there are some cases in which the name is known but the address is lacking. No doubt there are also some cases of Bates men in the service, whose names are entirely missing from this list. Will anyone, who can in any way furnish corrections or additions to this list of names and addresses please communicate with the President of the Student Council, this list having been arranged by the Student Council for the purpose of keeping in touch with the boys and remembering them from time to time with gifts. It has been impossible in some cases to forward Christmas packages because of unknown addresses, so for this reason in particular, early information concerning any man in the service will be appreciated.

Following is the list as compiled up to date:

Class of 1918
Horace R. Routelle, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Segeant Fred N. Creelman, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Portland, Me.
William J. Davidson, Navy Rifle Range, Wakefield, Mass.
Robert J. Dyer, Corporal, Battery A, 303rd, H. F. A., Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Alfred J. Haines, Chaplain, U. S. S. Care Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Walden P. Hobbs, Co. B, 301st Infantry, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Clarence N. Gould, Bath, Maine, U. S. N.
Frank E. Kennedy, U. S. Military School of Aeronautics, Princeton, N. J., Box 72.
William F. Lawrence, Food Survey Party, Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala.
Edward B. Moulton, Holyoke, Cadet School, Cambridge, Mass.
John T. Neville
Lieutenant James H. Sullivan, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me., 24th Co.
Fred Holmes, Headquarters Co., 303rd Regt., Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Class of 1919
Corporal Albert F. Dolloff, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Ft. McKinley, Portland, Me.
Robert Jordan, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Harold Heald.
Willis L. Lane.
Amos C. Morse.
James Neely.
James E. Stonier, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Arthur Beckford, Patrol Boat Bonita, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
William H. Langley, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Murray H. Watson, Patrol Boat Paloma, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Hazen S. Taylor, Trench Mortar Battery, 101 Regiment F. A., 26 Division, 51 Brigade, American Expeditionary Forces, by New York.
Harry J. White, Corporal, Headquarters Co., 303 F. A., Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
George A. Case.
Felix V. Cutler, I Co., Army Balloon School, Fort Omaha, Nebraska.
Sergeant Henry D. Johnson, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Harry C. McKenney, Co. E., Burleigh Battery, Westfield, Mass.
Milton W. Wilder, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Ralph W. Hupfer, 11th Field Artillery Band, Headquarters Co., Douglas, Arizona.
Otto D. Turner, Battery E, 1st Maine H. F. A., Westfield, Mass.
Osgood Haskell, Patrol Boat Margaret, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.

Warren Duffett, Patrol Boat Margaret, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Sergeant Donald G. Wight, 101st Regt., U. S. Eng., Company E, American Expeditionary Forces.
George A. Webber.
David M. Wiley, Naval Service.
Frank L. I. Jenkins.
Percy R. Winslow, 24th Co., 13th Barracks, Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.

Class of 1921
Harry M. Keaney.
Basil Miller.
Herbert A. Carroll, Medical Dept., Base Hospital, Camp McClellan, Anniston, Alabama.
John J. Kassay, Barracks No. 6, Base Hospital, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Herbert R. Bean, Corporal, Co. D, 103rd U. S. Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces.
Kilburn O. Sherman.
David Crockett, 101 Trench Mortar Battery, 51 Brigade, 26 Division, Am. Exped. Forces, by N. Y.
John E. Hickey, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Evan A. Woodward, Officers Training Camp, Plattsburg, N. Y.
Geo. Miller, Medical Recruit School, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.
Edwin F. Ribero, 101st Reg. U. S. Eng. Co. C., Am. Exped. Forces.

Class of 1917
William Allen.
George E. Green, 101st Trench Mortar Battery, 51st Brigade, Division 26, American Expeditionary Forces, by New York.
Elmer H. Mills, Holyoke House, Cadet School, Cambridge, Mass.
Joseph A. Pedhereznak, Camp Devens.
George T. Pendelow, 8th Co., 2nd Battalion, Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Henry J. Stettbacher, 304 Infantry, Machine Gun Co., Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Roland E. Purinton, U. S. S. Paloma, Commonwealth Pier, Boston, Mass.
E. Kenneth Wilson, 101st Trench Mortar Battery, 51st Brigade, Division 26, American Expeditionary Forces, by New York.
Sergeant Percy W. Lane, Headquarters Co., 303rd, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

Alumni
Lewis J. White, 1st M. H. F. A., Headquarters Co., Westfield, Mass.
Paul S. Nickerson, Assistant to Chaplain Stone, Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass.
Halliberton Crandlemire, 303rd H. F. A., Camp Devens, Mass.
Robert L. Tomblen, Motor Truck Co., No. 2, Ammunition Train, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Lewis B. Knight, 8th Additional Co., Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Ernest L. Small, 25th Co., Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Sherman J. Gould, 303rd Co., Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.
Lieutenant Harry A. Woodman, Camp Upton, Long Island, N. Y. Barracks 3 G., N. Y.
James H. Carroll, 8th Co., 2nd Training Camp, Plattsburg, N. Y.
Arthur Irish, 8th Co. Infantry, Plattsburg, N. Y.
S. Everett Cook, 8th Co. Infantry, Plattsburg, N. Y.
Major Ezra K. Sprague, Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa.
Lucian W. Blanchard, Judge Advocate, Camp Custer, Mich.
D. M. Stewart, M.D., Fort McKinley, Portland, Me.
Brigadier General Mark L. Hersey, Care General Pershing, American Expeditionary Forces.
Lieutenant Walter J. Pennell, U. S. S. Conington, Care Post Master, New York City.
Lieutenant William A. Walsh, 152 Depot Brigade, 4th Battalion, Camp Upton, Long Island, N. Y.
One hundred fifty-nine Colby men have thus far entered the service of the United States.
New Hampshire College opened the year with a new president, Ralph D. Hetzel, LL.B.

COLD WEATHER ANNOUNCES APPROACH OF HOCKEY SEASON

EXCELLENT PROSPECTS FOR WINNING TEAM

The football season is over, and now comes the time that formerly was devoid of athletic interests of any kind, but since hockey had its inception last year, the approach of the colder days marked the beginning of interest in a fascinating and beneficial sport. Hockey came into its own at Bates last year, and altho now War has greatly changed the status of athletics in this institution as elsewhere, it is hoped that this year hockey will at least be as important as formerly.

But it is not hockey alone that interests us. The ice on Lake Andrews is for all, and the many who for various reasons are not able to play hockey are welcome to come and skate. No definite plans have yet been made for financing the hockey association, but it is quite possible that the ice will be kept clear of snow and ready for skating at all times.

The prospects for a hockey team this year are very good, for Captain Duncan is heart and soul in the work of getting men out and in shape, and his efforts are well supported by enthusiasts about college. Already the dam has been stopped up, and since we have had the cold weather all we need is some rain to get matters started. Little is known definitely about the material that there is from which to develop a team, but in the absence of track work, Captain Duncan believes many more men will be free to come out. At a meeting of the A. A. last week Donald Stevens was elected manager, and Duncan will have his aid in making the coming season the best ever. Edwin Purinton and E. A. Adams are assistants, so that it seems that with this efficient corps of workers Lake Andrews should be a popular spot thruout the winter.

As far as actual material is concerned, little is known, for only Duncan and Burns remain of last year's team, but there are many men who were not out last year who are good players, and more who were out too late in the season to get on the team who showed up well. The Freshman class is always an unknown quantity as far as material is concerned, but if it shows up as well as did 1920 in hockey, we will have a good team.

Class games will be played if it is possible to get out enough men to make it practicable, and at least one series of championship games will be played. This will give a chance for everyone to get into the game. It is hoped that one or two carnivals can be arranged, and the women of the college will find ample opportunity to skate. Last year a large number of coeds enjoyed the skating.

There will be other sports this winter to keep everyone interested. There are boxing and wrestling lessons, gymnasium classes, basketball, and probably some track work. There is no reason why everyone should not have a part in some branch of athletics this winter.

A RECORD OF COMING EVENTS

Nov. 22, Thursday—Military Science Club, Cercle Francais.
Nov. 23, Friday—Choir rehearsal, 7:30; Seniority, Entre Nous, Mandolin Club 4:30.
Nov. 24, Saturday—Sophomore Public Speaking 2:30.
Nov. 25, Sunday—Y. W. C. A. Bible study.
Nov. 26, Monday—Mandolin club rehearsal 4:30, Voluntary study 6:30, Politics Club 7:30.
Nov. 27, Tuesday—Spofford Club, Glee Club.
Nov. 28, Wednesday—Union meeting Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.'s at 6:45.
Nov. 29, Thursday—Thanksgiving Day. Chapel Service 10:30 A.M. Entertainment planned but not definitely decided.

MARK L. SHAW ADDRESSES MEMBERS OF Y.M.C.A. ON "THE LIQUOR PROBLEM"

Emphasizes Vice As Greater Enemy

Mark L. Shaw, Secretary of the United Committee on War Temperance Activities in the Army and Navy, talked informally to the men of the Y. M. C. A. at the regular meeting held last Wednesday evening in the Physics lecture room of Science Hall.

He spoke briefly of the fact that the nation has two enemies to face; Germany and vice. The latter is the greater, in many respects. Among the problems which the nation must solve for its soldiers is that of liquor.

The war has given an opportunity to talk to the young men of the country on the subject of intemperance. If we are to win this war, the men must be shown that alcohol makes for poor marksmanship, weakens the resistance to disease, and often means disaster for an army. The welfare of our country in the future will depend in no small degree on fortifying our fighters against alcohol, for in years to come, these men will hold positions of responsibility in the nation.

A number of organizations saw the need and the opportunity and they got together. Their aim is to do the needful work with no waste, no duplication of effort, and with the maximum of efficiency.

The Committee has outlined the following as the initial step in the great campaign for temperance:

1. Install a stereomicrograph, or automatic stereopticon in every great Army and Navy training camp, showing temperance charts and pictures steadily for several hours a day.
2. Furnish for each machine a new set of slides, the finest photography can furnish, every time the machine makes the circuit of the camp.
3. Place in every Y. M. C. A. hut the most attractive posters and literature that advertising men and printers can produce.
4. Present to every soldier and sailor a specially prepared manual containing valuable information, and carrying conviction on the drink question.
5. Send speakers such as Hon. R. P. Hobson, Gov. Hanly, Gov. Carl E. Milliken, Daniel Poling, and others to address the men in the camps.
6. Inspire declarations of clean manhood devoted to a clean cause.
7. IN SHORT, TO DO WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE TO FORTIFY OUR FIGHTERS AGAINST ALCOHOL.

Mr. Shaw showed a part of one of the sets of slides which will be used in the machines at the camps, and explained the manner in which they will be used. He also placed before the association a plan for a pageant to be given later in the year at City Hall in the interests of the work of his committee. The plan is now under consideration.

REV. EDWIN B. STILES

In the death of Rev. Edwin B. Stiles of North Woodstock, N. H., who died last August, Bates has lost one of her finest graduates and most earnest and devoted Christian workers. Mr. Stiles was formerly a missionary to India and his work there was characterized by its uniform and unflinching success. Of him a fellow-worker in India says: "It was a joy and inspiration to see how he was loved by the Christian people there who knew him. Without doubt, he was one of the best-loved of all men who have labored in what was then the Free Baptist Mission and is now our Bengal-Orissa field."

Mr. Stiles graduated from Bates in 1885, and no one who knew him at that time, or who ever met him since, can fail to remember his cheerful, optimistic disposition, his persistent good nature, the splendid spirit that directed all his work. His genuine love for all mankind won for him many friends, who unite now in mourning his loss.

BATES MEN IN SERVICE RECEIVE TOKENS OF REMEMBRANCE

All Students Respond Heartily To Movement

The movement initiated by the Student Council for securing a Student fund for Christmas boxes for Bates men in the service met with hearty response from all the students. Approximately fifty-seven dollars were raised, entirely thru student contributions. This made possible the purchasing of a large variety of articles for the packing of the sixty Xmas boxes. With the willing assistance of the girls and several of the faculty ladies these boxes were packed and mailed in time to make connection with the trans-Atlantic mail boat which sailed on November 16. Of course the great majority of the packages were delivered at various points in this country, but because of the uncertainty involved in the transfer of men from one post to another in this country and the frequent hasty removal from the encampments here to the European battle fronts it was that advisable to mail all the packages at once that all might surely receive them before Christmas. That the appreciation of these remembrances was just as great among these men who have already received the boxes is shown by the words of heartfelt thanks brought back by Professor Knapp from the boys at Camp Devens.

The boxes were nearly uniform in their contents, each containing a large cake of milk chocolate, two packages of gum, a roll of wafers, a card of safety pins, a Bates handbook and pencil, a package of playing cards and tobacco with papers for those who smoke. The whole contents of the box was wrapped in a large handkerchief and wooden boxes were used thruout.

Forty-nine boxes have already been sent. Eleven more are packed ready for mailing as soon as the proper addresses can be obtained. A small portion of the fund remains unexpended. This will be kept for sending similar boxes to any men whose names may yet be secured and for small remembrances to all the boys at future times.

FIRST REGULAR MEETING OF ENKUKLIOS SOCIETY

Enkuklios, because of the many activities of the Y. W. C. A., has been rather late this year in beginning its program. The vacancy, left by Faith Fairfield, made it necessary to change the members of the executive board somewhat. Ruth Chapman '18 is President; Barbara Gould '19, Vice-President; Ruth Clayton '20, Secretary; Helen Clark '18, Treasurer; and Mildred Tinker '18, Blanche Wright '18, Gladys Holmes '19, and Rachael Ripley '21, the Executive Committee.

The first party of the year was very informal, and given just for the girls. All were asked to bring pillows and knitting or sewing. A series of statues was presented to the audience, and proved very interesting. The first number was the story of Pygmalion and Galatea, read by Blanche Wright '18. During the reading, the action was presented by Ruth Dresser '18 as Galatea, and Mary Louise Newcomer '19 as Pygmalion. The next number was the presentation of a Hindu woman, given by Imogene Smith '19. Then came a group,—that of Alcectis and her two children. These parts were taken by Ruth Dresser '18 as Alcectis, and Vivian Edwards '20 and Ruth Fisher '21 as the children. Fourth came a statue of Diana, also presented by Imogene Smith '19. The concluding number was Miss Rachael Ripley '20, as Columbia, and the singing by all of the Star Spangled Banner. Refreshments consisted of molasses kisses,—plenty of them. There was still some time before ten o'clock, and the girls made use of it by dancing a few minutes before they broke up for the night.

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EDITORIALS

FOOD CONSERVATION

Food Conservation is the topic of the day. Membership cards of the Conservation League are everywhere. In the mansions of the rich and the tenements of our foreign born these emblems are displayed. From the corner of College Street and Campus Avenue to the Quality Shop there are more cards than there are houses for some houses have two. Lately the Commons Committee has posted several of the placards and is making efforts to attract the attention of the students to the gravity of the situation.

Did you realize that there has been a sugar famine in Lewiston recently? That even college professors could get only two and one-half pounds of sugar at a time? That the boys who board themselves have been forced to use molasses entirely? That even this week a sign on one of the larger grocery stores reads "No Sugar of Any Kind"? Yet all the time we have serenely poured sugar on our cereal and dumped it into the coffee in such quantities that part of it would not even dissolve.

Butter goes the same way. Other luxuries are not regarded as such. We have failed in a large measure to adjust ourselves to the conditions of the day. Is not that a great failure for college students? While wealthy families are having their wheatless and meatless days and are economizing on rich foods from a sense of patriotism, we are only too likely to grumble if we sacrifice any of our accustomed culinary luxuries. Have all of us taken the right attitude toward the conditions of the present?

THE COMMONS

Every effort has been made to correct the faults that have been suggested in the management of the Commons. The Commons Committee has debated both sides of several perplexing questions. They have endeavored to respect our opinions as indicated on our cards. The results of their decisions may be expected soon. Our cooperation has been asked to point out and devise means of rectifying what we considered the mistakes of others. What has been done regarding our share in the Commons? Upon the students depends in a large measure the success or failure of such institutions. Surely we do not assume that we have been faultless? That we have done all in our power to make the Commons a success? The problem of Food Conservation has already been noted, let us review a few other aspects of the situation.

When you go into the Commons, you

do not need to howl like a maniac or elbow your way like a prize fighter. You would not be likely to do so in entering a hotel dining room. At home or in a restaurant, you would not first think of something disagreeable to say of the service or food. Never a favorable comment, but all possible criticism! Is that the attitude we have to everything? Would you wish a prospective employer to judge your home training and refinement by your actions here? Is your language in a restaurant of such a nature and so loud as to seriously inconvenience others about you? Yet such complaints have been made at the Commons.

The Commons need not be like a refectory for deaf and dumb. A good healthy cheer makes us feel much better at times. Then why not have some organized cheering? Why not have a cheerleader who eats with common folks? Some fellows have shown their spirit and leadership by leading an occasional cheer. Yet more than once a famous athlete or prominent graduate has come and gone without notice. Recently three graduates were recognized and one passed by. Cheering is a more satisfactory way of using enthusiasm than throwing biscuits. Why not be a sportswitch with the tongue as with the hand?

THE PROBLEM OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

By Hon. Newton D. Baker,
Secretary of War.
(From the Patriotic News Service, of the National Committee of Patriotic Societies, Washington, D. C.)

When the call to national service arose, spirited young men everywhere of course wanted to be employed in a patriotic way, and I suppose there is scarcely a young man in any college in the country who has not very anxiously addressed to himself the question: "What can I do?"

I think that there is no general answer to this question. Even in those cases where it would be obviously better for a young man to stay at college and prepare himself for later and fuller usefulness, yet if the young man in so doing acquires a low view of his own courage, and feels that he was electing the less worthy course, the effect on the young man of that state of mind toward his own actions probably would be so prejudicial that it ought not to be encouraged.

To the extent that the men in college are physically disqualified, or to the extent that they are too young to meet the requirements of the department, it seems quite clear that in the present state of the emergency their major usefulness lies in remaining in the college, going forward with their academic work. The knowledge that the students will acquire at college will equip them for subsequent usefulness if the emergency lasts until their call comes.

But we do not want to chill enthusiasm. We want to preserve enthusiasm and cultivate it and use it; but we do want to be discriminating in our enthusiasm, and prevent people getting the notion that they are not helping the country unless they do something different, which very often is not the case at all. The largest usefulness may come from doing the same thing. Now, it is not unnatural that there should be these ebullitions of feeling, this desire to change occupation as a badge of changed service and devotion to ideals. Our colleges can exercise a steady influence in this regard.

We are going to have losses on the sea; we are going to have losses in battle; our communities are going to be subjected to the rigid discipline of multiplied personal griefs scattered all through the community, and we are going to search the cause of those back to their foundation, and our feelings are going to be torn and our nerves made raw. There is a place for physicians of public opinion to exercise a curative impulse. The young men who are in our colleges, who go to their homes from our colleges and make up a very large part of the direction of public opinion, can exercise a curative influence by preaching the doctrine of tolerance, by exemplifying the fact that it is not necessary for a nation like the United States, which is fighting for the vindication of a great ideal, to discolor its purpose by hatreds or by the entertainment of any unworthy emotion.

Mr. Will C. McFarlane has recently presented to the college library a book just off the press which is entitled

"The History of Music". Mr. McFarlane, who received an honorary degree of A.M. from Bates in 1915, has been a good friend to the college and his lecture recitals of last year are gratefully remembered by many. Coming from one of the leading musicians of the day his gift will have an added interest to those who are interested in music.

OBSERVANT CITIZEN

The talk in Chapel Wednesday morning concerning the Commons should serve as an eye opener to a certain group of students. Every effort is being made to give us a square deal at the Commons this year. If anyone has any "crabbing" to do let them do it to our committee on Commons, organized for that purpose. They will transmit the complaint to the committee of trustees who have the Commons in control and if there is any reason in the complaint all effort will be made to remedy the trouble. Beyond this let "crabbing" cease. And those fellows who are eating down town without any logical reason whatsoever should come back to the Commons. Failure to do this under existing conditions can but result in a loss by them in some measure of the respect of their fellow students.

Problem assigned in ornithology class: One bird=10,000,000 bugs. One bug=6 leaves from a shade tree.

If the size of a bird varies inversely as the size of a bug, how many shade trees can one bird hold?

The message brot by Professor Knapp from the boys at Camp Devens was certainly received with great interest by all. The deep appreciation which they expressed for the Xmas boxes sent to them by the Student Assembly only goes to show how much the boys who are away think of us here and how much any little remembrance from us means to them.

That delightful turnip smell which has its abode in Libby Forum, has, even in so short a time, been a source of inspiration to many a weighty theme.

At times, our choir presents a varied appearance. "Hoppe" breaks the monotony of the front rank by appearing without a gown while Ireland saves the reputation of the rear file with a good old Bates Sweater.

There are two seasons in Lewiston, the dry and the slushy. We are just at the beginning of the slushy. How nice it would be if we had walks that could be kept clean.

A variation of resonant chords and dischords, between 4.30 and 8 P. M. these days, indicates that the Musical Clubs are being gradually whipped into shape by their leaders.

Skating will soon be here!

Plans are under way to make Thanksgiving Day interesting for the large number who will have to remain on the campus on that day. The minstrel show arranged for Thanksgiving evening is the center of attraction while other features of entertainment are planned for the day. Because of the fact that but one day's vacation is to be given for Thanksgiving, very few will be able to go home.

W. BARLOW '21 STRONGEST MAN OF ENTERING CLASS

Other Strong Men

The list of the strength tests of the Freshmen class shows the Barlow brothers to have the highest averages. Walter Barlow has the honor of being the strongest man in his class, though his margin over his brother was slight. His total, 1057.6, is unusually good though not up to the record of nearly 1300 set by Horace Maxim '19.

The class as a whole had a very high standard, not only of men who exceeded the normal, but of those who were above it. The normal man should have a test of 552.3. In the class of 1921 only one man went below this standard and only slightly. A large percentage were over 800, or more than 200 over normal. All of the ten strongest were over 900 which is very unusual.

The list of the ten best includes men who are prominent athletes and others who have done little in this line. Norman Ross, varsity guard and Almon Deane, halfback on the football team, did not take their strength tests on account of injuries in football. Their tests would probably have been high. Walter Barlow, the leader, comes from

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Braintree High and his work at full-back this fall is well known. His brother is another preparatory school athlete and he finished fourth in the interclass cross country race this fall.

The list follows:

1. Walter Barlow, Braintree, Mass., 1057.6
2. Myson Barlow, Braintree, Mass., 1039.7
3. John Cusick, Gardiner, 1019.6
4. George Julian, Portland, 997.2
5. Walter Bond, Braintree, Mass., 985.
6. Jacob Van Vloten, Braintree, Mass., 970.
7. George Jellison, Kennebunk, 963.4
8. William Murray, Mill River, Mass., 928.
9. William Jordan, Portland, 915.
10. Daniel Newcomer, Harpers Ferry, W. V., 913.2

POST MEMBERS OF GLEE CLUB

Expects Successful Year

The list of the members of the 1917-18 Glee Club of the college has been posted and the pictures of the club were taken yesterday. The club is smaller than usual this year. Manager Googins of the combined clubs has been away for several days arranging concerts and Leader Renwick of the Glee Club has been assisting him. They have worked hard and have been very successful, yet the unusual conditions of the year must be recognized. The expenses of taking extra men make it almost impossible to take as many as the leader might wish. He has been forced to pick a limited number in order that the clubs may make their usual fine trips.

Though this may limit the number in the clubs, the quality is much higher than might be expected in such a year. The rehearsals have brought out much talent in the upper classes not available in former years. In fact, the men who went to Harry Plummer's yesterday are as clever a bunch of entertainers as Bates has produced in many a day.

The makeup of the clubs is as follows:

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| Wood '21 | Steady '19 |
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LOCALS

Private Felix V. Cutler '20 recently spent a few days on the campus before going to Fort Omaha, Neb., where he will enter the army balloon school. Cutler has been in the Signal corps at Camp Devens but passed an examination for the air squadron and will begin training for this corps at once. One part of his examination consisted of being placed in a revolving chair, spun rapidly for a few seconds, and then being obliged to rise and walk in a prescribed direction. The soldier's susceptibility to dizziness is determined in this way. Cutler is sure that he will enjoy being a "bird-man."

Clarence Gould '18 of the Naval Reserve came up from Bath for the week-end. He met with a painful accident on board ship a short time ago which necessitated the removal of a small piece of bone from his cheek. It is feared that a more serious operation may be necessary to heal the wound.

Murray Watson '19 and Roland Purinton '18, both of the U. S. S. Daloriel, Commonwealth Pier, Boston, were on the campus a few days ago.

Albert C. Adam '19 refereed the Lewiston-Waterville High football game at Waterville Saturday.

Floyd W. Norton '18 spent a few days at home last week.

The sophomore prize speaking division will speak on Saturday. The competition this year is very keen and the announcement of members of the prize division is awaited with great interest.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association held last week, Donald B. Stevens '18 was elected hockey manager to succeed Robert Ross '18, resigned.

Miss Esther Graham of Augusta has been the guest of her sister, Miss Agnes Graham '18.

Miss Mary Martin '18 has gone to her home in Franklin, Mass., for a week on account of illness.

Dean Buswell was at her home in Dorchester over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Barbara Gould '19 spent the week end at her home in Plymouth, N. H.

Doris Haskell '18 returns to the campus over Saturdays and Sundays as a rest from her duties as English teacher in Cony High.

Miss Eleanor Brewster spent the week end at her home in Lisbon Falls.

Miss Gladys Logan entertained her father on Sunday.

Miss Marion Wheeler went to Hebron on Sunday with Miss Lillian Leathers.

Miss Minervia Cutler entertained her brother Felix on Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Annie Cummings has been suffering from an attack of asthma.

Miss Dorothy Churchill spent the week end in Phillips.

Miss Lois Chandler entertained her father on Monday.

Miss Lillian Dunlap was in Richmond over Sunday.

PHIL-HELLENIC CLUB COMMENCES ACTIVITIES

Elects New Members

The first regular meeting of the Phil-Hellenic Club for the year was held last Thursday evening at Libbey Forum. A business session was held at 7.20, when several names were presented to the club by the membership committee. It was decided to accept the list as presented, and the following were duly made members of the society: Misses Haggett, Barton, Tracy, Crawford, Logan, Moylan, Landers, Perkins, Peterson, Knapp, Widber; Messrs. Holmes, Burgess, Gould, Tilton, Barrow, Drury.

Professor Stanton was elected as an honorary member.

A committee was appointed by the chair, to have charge of a Greek play to be given sometime during the winter. A precedent was established last winter when the club gave Alceste. This promises a treat to all lovers of Greek drama. The committee in charge consists of Eileen Atkins as chairman, Miss Tinker and Mr. George.

At 7.45 the program of the evening was begun, with a piano solo by Miss Mary Martin.

Miss Mildred Tinker gave a review of "The Days of Alcibiades", a book which has recently been added to the library. She characterized the book as something rather novel in the way of biography, uniting as it does the story of the life of that most interesting of Athenians with the picture of Greek life as a whole. In each chapter, some feature of the Athens of that time is described, with some striking event from the life of Alcibiades as its center. Harry Potts, '19, followed with a digest of another new book, "Greek Ideals". His paper outlined the various phases of the ideal of the typical Grecian, as viewed by the author of this particular book. Professor Chase summed up the consideration of Greek ideals with a few remarks touching on the various points brought out by Mr. Potts.

Miss Gladys Logan played a piano solo, after which the members gathered about the piano to sing the national anthem of Greece. Mr. Frange of the city led the singing. Mr. Frange has been a most enthusiastic friend of the club, and has contributed to the success of the meetings on more than one occasion since the organization of the society. He will always receive a cordial welcome at the Phil-Hellenic Club. Mr. Frange is a native of Crete, and boasts of having sat on the throne of Minos, a recommendation which is surely amply sufficient to admit anyone to a Greek society.

The meeting closed with the singing of the Alma Mater and the Star Spangled Banner. The members went home with feelings of vast satisfaction, some new ideas of Greek life and spirit, and some of them with the consciousness of having accomplished something worth while in the way of knitting for the Belgians.

CHENEY CLUB MEETS

The following report of a recent meeting of Cheney Club, sent in by the secretary, Gullie A. Wyman, will be of particular interest to Bates Alumni and students.

"On the evening of Friday, November 2nd, the Cheney Club held one of the happiest meetings in its existence at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Libby of Manchester, N. H. Twenty-seven of Manchester's sons and daughters, ranging from what the president termed 'the venerables' to a new member from 1917, sat down to an old-fashioned, chicken-pie dinner with the proper fixings, served by some of the domestic science class of the Manchester High School, of which Mr. Libby is principal.

"After we had eaten till we felt that 'Mr. Hoover would get us' if we ate any more, we held a short business meeting and spent a very enjoyable two hours, listening to what Dr. Leonard could tell us about Bates; and he told us much—everything from faculty war gardens to plans for the new Commons. A vote of thanks was extended to Dr. Leonard, and also to Mr. and Mrs. Libby, who so cordially opened their house to us, in order that we might have a real family party.

"Officers for 1917-18 were elected as follows:

President: Henry S. Roberts of Suncook.

Vice-President: H. G. Blount of Pembroke.

Secretary-Treasurer: Gullie A. Wyman.

Those present were: Henry S. Roberts '81 and Mrs. Roberts, H. G. Blount '06 and Mrs. Blount '06, C. P. Sanborn '81, Dr. George F. Garland '90 and Mrs. Garland, Mrs. Marion Ames Mooney '04, Mrs. Corinne Brown Ordway '09, Ambrose J. Nichols '11, and Mrs. Nichols, formerly of '14, Edna C. Dyer, formerly of '13, Jessie H. Nettleton '10, Isaac M. Cox '89 and Mrs. Kate Prescott Cox '91, Helen J. Knox '08, Ruth N. Beane '15, Mary L. Cleaves '17, Mary W. Cross '96, Luella A. Dickerman, A.M., Gullie A. Wyman '11, George H. Libby '89 and Mrs. Harriet P. Libby, Rev. F. M. Baker '89, Cyrus H. Little '84, C. W. Cutts '88 and Mrs. Cutts.

COMMITTEE OF TRUSTEES ON COMMONS SUBMITS REPORT

Students Accept Data

The Committee of the Trustees on the Commons was in chapel yesterday morning and after the exercises, Mr. Judkins spoke on behalf of the committee. As all those who are vitally interested in his talk were there, there is no need of reproducing all of it. A few facts that he brought out might be noted.

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Mr. Judkins went on to show how essential proper food and service were and advocated support of the Commons as a part of college loyalty. The treasurer of the college mentioned the lack of funds to make up a deficit. Mr. Costello seconded the remarks of Mr. Judkins.

It was made quite clear that the attitude of the Committee of the Trustees was to help the students in all ways possible. The committee offered to meet the students at the regular meetings on Thursday evenings. The students listened intently and appeared to appreciate the fairness of the committee and the wish for good service and food.

DEUTSCHER VEREIN HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING

An unusually interesting meeting of the Deutscher Verein was held on Monday evening. The time was devoted almost entirely to the carrying out of a varied and attractive program.

Mr. Gleane was the first speaker on the program, reading a paper on the life of Martin Luther. A piano solo by Mr. Packard '19, the next number on the programme, was greatly enjoyed by all. A paper on "Bavaria's Part in the Present War" by Mr. Witham was next in order. This was followed by a German song by Mr. Quackenbush. Dr. Leonard made a few brief remarks. German conversation was enjoyed for a short time by all the members, and the meeting was adjourned with the singing of German folk songs.

It is planned at a future date to hold a joint meeting with the Deutsche Gesellschaft in commemoration of the two hundredth anniversary of Martin Luther's triumph at Wittenburg.

CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

Thursday

Classes as usual. Mr. Andrews may be in his office today. Don't report Church attendance this week.

Friday

Classes today also. Fish at Commons, Soup at Rand. Theatres are open tonight. Skating if there is ice.

Saturday

NO CLASSES THIS AFTERNOON. *Mistake—classes in coeducation will meet as usual. Soph Dees, (don't miss them). Chapel exercises will be held as usual. Clean rooms (?)

Sunday

We have no knowledge of extra collections at any of the churches. Heating plant will be kept running. Rand Hall closed from 12 to 12.

Monday

Breakfast will be served at the Commons at 7. Don't eat classes today. Several callers at Rand and Miliken.

Tuesday

Send term bills home. Weather forecast, snow, rain or other disturbance if it isn't fair. Moon half full.

Wednesday

Holiday—for some. Double cuts also. Tennis season ends.

Thursday

Thanksgiving Day (Holiday). No classes in Chemistry. Turkey will be scarce. Chickens plentiful. No other classes either.

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Due to the earnest efforts of Dr. Jordan and Mr. Higgins the chemistry course at Bates has been raised on a par to that of any other institution of its size in the country. Mr. Higgins has been especially active in systematizing the laboratories and laboratory courses. One of his latest achievements has been the remodeling of the sophomore laboratory which is devoted to general chemistry.

This has been no small task as the appearance of the laboratory before and after will bear out the truth of this statement. The sophomore class in general chemistry this year is the largest in the history of the institution and it has been some task to provide accommodations for all.

The senior students can well appreciate the many improvements made by Mr. Higgins, who is ever striving for efficiency. He has been instrumental in obtaining the latest apparatus for the industrial students, the Westphall hydrometer being one of the most recent additions.

The thoroughness of Dr. Jordan's treatment of the subject of chemistry is the chief asset of this course in this institution. For this reason graduates of Bates have always proved efficient and there are always openings for future graduates. Dr. Jordan receives many letters each year offering positions to those that he might recommend. At present there is an opening for a man in Cuba.

TABULATION OF BATES STUDENTS

Maine Furnishes Largest Quota

A tabulation of the students at Bates and the places from which they come, shows some very interesting facts. Nine different States, the District of Columbia and two foreign countries are represented. Of the 435, the total number of students, 296 come from Maine, Massachusetts is next with 65, New Hampshire and Connecticut with 41 and 14 respectively are third and fourth.

State	1918	1919	1920	1921	Total
Maine	70	71	63	92	296
Mass.	20	13	12	20	65
N. H.	8	10	12	11	41
Conn.	1	3	5	5	14
New York	2	1	3		6
New Jersey	3		1		4
Rhode Isl.	1	3			4
Vermont			1		1
Wash., D. C.				1	1
W. Virginia				1	1
Germany			1		1
Japan			1		1
Total	105	104	96	130	435

CHAPEL PROGRAM

Friday	
Vision	Rheinberger
Hallelujah (from "Mount of Olives")	Beethoven
Saturday	
Prelude from "The Deluge"	Saint-Saens
Allegro in A minor	Volekmar
Monday	
Le Doux Reve	Leschetizky
Postlude	Loret
Tuesday	
At Twilight	Nevin
Marche Jubilante	Ryley
Wednesday	
Harvest Time (from "Ruth")	Cowen-West
Hosanna	Wachs
Thursday	
"Out of the Depths"	Spohr
Harvest March	Calkin

THE SPOFFORD CLUB

The Spofford members were treated with a particularly interesting reading by Miss Vida Stevens on Tuesday evening at the Forum. The youthful characters with which the author dealt were especially well drawn and their dialogue was most natural. It was suggested that perhaps these characters possessed unusual wisdom for their ages, but the fact was considered also that adverse circumstances will develop the serious

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Following this number occurred a discussion of the changes in tendencies of poetry. The new Imagist poetry and its requirements was particularly stressed.

Owing to a consideration of business matters regarding programs to come the session lasted somewhat longer than usual.

ALUMNI NOTES

1882—William G. Clark has law offices in the Crocker Building, Des Moines, Iowa.

1883—Hoyt H. Tucker died in Wolfboro, N. H., a few weeks ago. Since 1908 he had been principal of the Camden Street School, Newark, New Jersey. Mr. Tucker was a man of upright character and earnest and faithful purpose. His sister, Ellie L. Tucker, is a graduate of Bates in the class of 1902, and his daughter, Bethania, in the class of 1915.

1884—Mark L. Hersey is a Brigadier General and is in service with General Pershing in France.

1887—Dr. Ezra K. Sprague is a Major in the United States Army and is stationed at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa. His duties are to maintain in so far as is possible, health conditions in the Extra Cantonment Zone about Camp Dodge. This zone comprises a territory extending five miles from the borders of the Cantonment and includes also the city of Des Moines. This covers an area of about two hundred square miles and includes at present about one hundred fifteen thousand population, exclusive of those in Camp, and forty-five thousand under the control of the Army. Des Moines has its own health officer, but owing to the unusual conditions obtaining, it was deemed advisable by the Mayor and Council to make Major Sprague his advisor, with the result that Major Sprague is practically health officer of the city.

1890—At a meeting of the Trustees of Bates last June, Mrs. Mary Brackett Robertson was made a member of the Board of Overseers. Mrs. Robertson is president of the Women's University Club of Washington, D. C.

1892—Albert F. Gilmore, who has been for more than twenty years with the American Book Company, has resigned his position to become a member of the Christian Science Committee on Publication for the State of New York, with offices at 52 Vanderbilt Ave., New York City.

1899—Ernest L. Palmer died in October, 1917, at Dexter, Maine. Mr. Palmer was an able school superintendent and a man who was much respected and honored. He was superintendent of the Eden and Hancock schools from 1910 till 1916, resigning his position because of ill health.

Dr. D. M. Stewart of South Paris, Maine, is in army service and is stationed at Fort McKinley.

1897—Last September Dr. Percy R. Howe was elected Assistant Professor of Dental Research at Harvard University. He is the only occupant of that chair. The Boston Evening Transcript of November fourteenth devoted more than a column to an explanation of some of the recent discoveries brought to light by Dr. Howe's studies, which will be of great value to the dental profession.

1911—Margaret A. Kincaid, '12, of South Portland, Maine, and Irving H. Blake of Syracuse, New York, were married on the 8th of August at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Kincaid. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lovely of Andover, Mass., classmates of the groom, acted as attendants. Mr. Blake is at present an instructor in Syracuse University.

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1912—The marriage of Margaret Thurston Tubbs to John A. Crane took place at Maple View, New York, on July 5th. Mr. and Mrs. Crane are to reside in McIndoe Falls, Vermont.

1912—Mr and Mrs. Harry W. Rowe are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter, Esther Bartlett, born November 13, 1917.

1913—At a meeting of the members of the school boards of Lisbon and Webster, recently held in Lewiston, A. Raymond Carter, '13, of Pembroke, was elected to take the place of F. A. Morris, who has resigned his position as superintendent of schools. Mr. Carter's experience in teaching has been wide, and he comes to Lisbon highly recommended. He will begin his work December first.

1914—Lawrence C. Woodman is teaching English and History at Kimball Union Academy, Meridian, N. H.

1914—Lillian Mae Carll of Woodfords, Maine, a former teacher in Portland High School, was married on August 23rd to Arthur Schubert of Medford, Mass.

1916—Ruth Parker is teaching in the high school at Fairfield, Maine.

1916—Alicie G. King and Mona Hodnett are both doing graduate work at the University of Illinois.

COLLEGE NOTES

War Notes

Hope: Hope College has just announced to the public that it has adopted a plan whereby Hope students now in training camps or at the front may continue their college work altho not able to attend classes at the college. Such courses as Economics, English, History, Mathematics and many others in the Collegiate department besides a few in Prep work are to be offered. Degree or diploma credit is to be given for each course completed on the basis of one-half credit compared with the same residence at college. All students who were regularly registered at the time of enlistment or draft in any of the classes or in special courses are eligible for these courses. Charges are made only to cover the cost of text books and postage. We believe Hope is the first college to respond to the needs of the college students in training camps with such extension courses. Hillsdale Collegian.

Vassar: A special course in poster designing in connection with the regular Practical Art courses, intended for those interested in making war posters, is to be given this year.

Yale: Suggestions have been made for a joint review of the Yale Battery and the Harvard Regiment, in the Yale Bowl, to take the place of the usual Harvard-Yale game, late in November. The deficit at Yale this year will amount to about \$258,866.

A gift of \$500,000 from Mrs. Stephen Harkness will be used to pay for a new heating system now under construction. With the approval of the Naval Department, a three-year course in Naval Training, aiming to fit men for the commission of ensign, has been established.